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METHOD FOR GENERATING AN IMPROVED

IMAGE SIGNAL WHEN ESTIMATING THE MOTION

OF IMAGE SEQUENCES, IN PARTICULAR A

PREDICTION SIGNAL FOR VIDEO IMAGES USING

A MOTION-COMPENSATING PREDICTION

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RESPONSE

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2005, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following. A two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action is requested. The extended time period expires on February 21, 2006. Please charge the \$450 extension fee to Kenyon & Kenyon LLP Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Amendments to the Claims are not presented, but a listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper is provided for the Examiner's convenience.

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